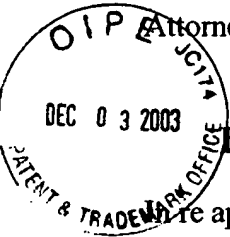


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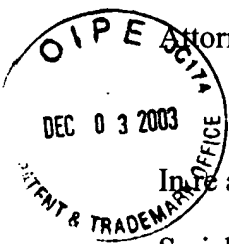
**REPLY AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116**

In response to the Office Action mailed July 3, 2003, Applicants submit the following Amendment and Remarks.

Applicant does not believe that extensions of time or fees for net addition of claims are required beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. If additional extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), and any fees required therefore (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to our Deposit Account No. 50-1283.

**Amendments to the claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.

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Enclosed are the following for the above-identified application:

- ☒ Request For Continued Examination Under 37 C.F.R. §1.114
- ☒ Copy of Reply and Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. §1.116 previously filed on October 2, 2003
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement Transmittal
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement
- ☐ PTO/SB/08
- ☐ Preliminary Amendment
- ☒ Petition for Extension of Time
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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16, 1.17, and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-1283.

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